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**COLORADO
CROSS-DISABILITY
COALITION**

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Our mission is to advocate for Social Justice for people with all types of disabilities

Major Issues Statewide

Services not at pre-pandemic levels-vicious cycle

- Without more riders no reason to increase services
- Without more drivers no way to increase services
- If service levels are low and it is uncomfortable choice riders will not use transit

Safety

- On public transit
- Scooters on sidewalks
- Drivers not paying attention

Reliability and access

- Frequency of services outside of cities
- Medicaid transportation and paratransit often unreliable

Emerging Issues



**Autonomous
vehicles**



**Housing costs
pushing non-drivers
to suburbs**



**Concerning lack of
consideration for
access in some projects**

DIA Remodel
16th Street Mall

Transportation Legislative Priorities

Specific requests

- Support distracted driving bill
- SB 180 Follow Up (Free fare for clean air).
- Medicaid Transportation
 - Follow up on HB 21-1114
 - Mileage/per diem reimbursement for NEMT should mirror state employee

Larger issues

- Accessible on demand transportation (Uber and Lyft)
- More robust rural transit
- Workforce

Opportunities with increased funding

1

Lower gas emissions

2

Reduce number of
vehicles on the road

3

Provide opportunities
for employment to low-
income households

4

Help households stay
out of poverty

5

Improve the air quality
in the state

6

Lower health
complications for
youth, elderly and
those with medical
complications

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